

UPCOMING EVENTS AT FUMC

Sunday, May 22, 2016

10:00am Sunday School
11:00am Worship Service

Monday, May 23, 2016

6:00pm Boy Scout Meeting (Scout Hut)
Newsletter Deadline

Wednesday, May 25, 2016

4:30pm MKF Activities (Fellowship)
6:00pm Handbell Rehearsal (Choir Room)
7:30pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)
12:00pm *Sunday, May 29 Bulletin Deadline*

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SERVING TODAY

Greeters: M&M Jerry Tucker

Lobby Door Greeter: Jim Crawford, Rhett Butler

Altar Guild: Laura Harris, Pat Barham

Next Week's Lay Reader: Susan Marsh

Flowers Next Sunday: OPEN

Counters: Robert Calhoun, Herbert Watts, Brenda Rayfield

Alternate Counter: Doug Marsh

Nursery: Caroline Berry & Jean Assef

Head Usher: Doug Carabo

Hostess: Shirley Walton

Acolyte: Mary-Charlotte Dusa

Cross Bearer: Leighton Becker

McArn Item: Dry beans

Worship Attendance, May 15 — 163; Attendance in Worship the same Sunday last year — 147

FUMC STAFF

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The Mission of the First United Methodist Church is to win and nurture souls for Jesus Christ by sharing and living the message of salvation.



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Trinity Sunday

Peace with Justice/Heritage Sunday

Prelude

Greeting and Announcements

Pam Baker

Please sign the attendance pad and pass it to everyone on the pew.

Recognition of the Graduates

Mason Tomberlin—Cheraw High School—will attend Winthrop University

Jake Williamson—Trinity Byrnes Collegiate School—will attend Spartanburg Methodist

Tony Harris—Cheraw High School—will attend University of South Carolina

Zachary Allen Keefe—University of South Carolina, BS in Sports Entertainment and Management and a minor in Criminal Law, Magna Cum Laude

Jacob Wellington "Jake" Crouse—Furman University, BA in religion, Cum Laude honors, going to Columbia University in NY City for Masters of Journalism with a Data Specialization

Tyler Goodwin—Furman University, Music Performance, Music Composition

Jessica Owens Shepard—University of South Carolina, BS in Nursing.

Opening Prayer

Rev. Paul Frey

O God, you so loved the world as to give your only begotten Son, that whosoever believes in him should not perish, but have everlasting life. Grant to us the precious gift of faith, that we may know that the Son of God is come, and lives in us in our world, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

***Hymn No. 185 in the Hymnal "When Morning Gilds the Skies"**

Laudes Domini

Children's Sermon

Rev. Frey

Psalter No. 743, in the Hymnal

Psalm 8

Sammy Quick, Lay Reader

***Affirmation Of Faith No. 881**

The Apostles' Creed

Lay Reader

***The Gloria Patri**

Lay Reader

Pastoral and Lord's Prayer

Rev. Frey

***Hymn No. 2108 in *The Faith We Sing* "O How He Loves You and Me"**

Patricia

Gathering God's Tithes and Our Offerings

*Offertory

*Doxology No. 95 "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

*Presentation of Tithes and Offerings with Prayer

Rev. Frey

Old 100th

LOVE OFFERING — The last Sunday that Pastor Paul Frey will be in the pulpit of FUMC will be June 19. We certainly appreciate his ministry at our church. To recognize his dedication, we will be taking up a love offering to be presented to Paul and Ruth Ann on June 19. To give to this offering, please mark your envelope/check **LOVE OFFERING**.

Scripture Lesson

1 John 4:7-18; 1 Corinthians 13: 4-8a, 13

Rev. Frey

Sermon

"Building a Christian Life: Furnishing it With Love"

Rev. Frey

Love Lifted Me

*Hymn (See words on opposite page) "Love Lifted Me"

Love Lifted Me

(During the hymn you are invited to come to the chancel rail, kneel, pray to God, then return to your pew when ready)

I was sinking deep in sin, far from the peaceful shore,
very deeply stained within, sinking to rise no more;
but the Master of the sea heard my despairing cry,
from the waters lifted me; now safe am I.

***Benediction**

***Postlude**

***Indicates where you should stand if you are able.**

The flowers are placed in the sanctuary today to the glory of God and in loving memory of Betty "Nana" and Bill Tomberlin for their heavenly birthdays and in honor of Mason Tomberlin as she graduates from CHS '2016! Given by Scott, Jennifer, Jensen, Mason, and Jacquelyn Tomberlin and Susie, Mike, and Amanda Burgess.

CHORUS

Love lifted even me! Love lifted even me!
When nothing else could help. Love lifted me.
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The rose on the altar is in honor of the birth of Carter Dallas Keefe who was born on May 13. He is the son of Kaleb and Jackie Keefe and the grandson of Dallas and Jenny Keefe.

Souls in danger, look above, Jesus completely saves;
he will lift you by his love out of the angry waves.
He's the Master of the sea, billows his will obey;
he your Savior wants to be — be saved today.

WELCOME VISITORS — We welcome our visitors! Please fill out the attendance sheet with your contact information. If you wish to join the church by Affirmation of Faith or Transfer of Membership, please notify the church office at 843-537-7002.

CHORUS

OUR PRAYER LIST — our President, all who defend our nation, Sue Nichols (Pam Humphries' mother), DeAnna Starling, Mike Starling, Larry Heustess (Lynn Tweed's friend), Elizabeth Rivers (Shep Straughn's friend), Charlotte Pope (Becky Thompson's niece), Teresa Ward (Amanda Carabo's aunt), Anne Bryan (Pam Baker's sister-in-law), Chap Allison (Holly Miles' friend), Lucille Gray (Betty Hurst's mother) . **NOTE: Names are left on the prayer list for two weeks; after two weeks, they are removed unless the church office is notified.**

SALKEHATCHIE 2016!!!! — It's coming!! The dates for Foothills Salkehatchie are July 2-9. Registration is now open, start making your plans and encouraging the younger youth to attend with us. Keep checking the website (Salkehatchie.org) for when you can begin to register. If you have any questions, please contact Shannon Johnson, Dawn Leach, or Debbie Adams.

BBQ FOR SALE BY THE POUND — There is still some pounds of BBQ in the freezer from the Spring BBQ. If you would like to purchase any (\$8.00 per pound), please see Angie in the church office.